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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1929.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Merrill is working for Ralph Tyler spent the week end at home here.

Elvira Holt is staying with M. Philbrook.

Clough is working for Orlando on the hay press.

Walker and party were in and Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold King spent the end in Portland.

Joseph Baker and family of Newry moved to Bethel.

Charles Bean has returned from trip to Wisconsin.

Mrs. Carl Olson are staying Mrs. Mabel Clough.

J. Tyler was in New York on business the first of the week.

Nora Marsden has been with O. M. Mason for a few days.

Mrs. Harry Mason of Boston is town the first of the week.

Kirk is staying at Fred Wheel and attending Gould Academy.

Mrs. Wight and Mrs. L. U. were in Portland Monday.

Mrs. Boss Knapp and daughter were in Waterville Saturday.

Mrs. Hubert York are soon to Lelan Mills' farm in Albany.

Mrs. George Hall were Sunday guests of Mrs. C. W. Hall.

Carver was called to Jones Monday by the death of his brother.

Mrs. Ned Fox of Portland calling on friends in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Van Den Kerk spent Sunday at Weeks Mills.

Harry Jordan returned Monday a Portland where she had been for a few days.

Mrs. A. D. Bean of Albany and Mrs. G. B. Haggood and family Sunday.

Miss Susie Plaisted and Miss Eugene Hasleton spent a few days in Portland this week.

Mrs. Harry Sawin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur of Albany.

Mrs. Fred I. Clark left Wednesday for Ottawa, Canada, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Shirley Brooks has a position at the Caribou High School as teacher Home Economics.

Merrill Maxwell and daughter Jean Lynn, Mass., spent the week end at Frank Taylor.

Mrs. J. W. Carter left Tuesday for a place where she will resume her dance classes this winter.

Mrs. Guy Perkins left Sunday for Palm Beach, Fla., where they go to spend the winter.

Boy and Ray Cummings arrived at Riverside, Calif., Oct. 7, making the trip from Bethel in two weeks.

Mrs. Martha Underhay, who has been at the week end in Portland.

Mrs. G. M. Mason for some time, and the week end in Portland.

Arnold Merrill and family of Sandy Neck were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill and family.

Mrs. Blanche Merrill of West Palm Beach, Florida, is the guest of her son, Mr. Charles Merrill and family.

Mrs. Myron Lord and children from North Waterford were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Herlick.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Bean were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Win. J. Brown at North Waterford.

Mrs. Angella Clark is having her buildings painted. Millard Clough and George Hopkins are doing the work.

Mrs. Octavia Bean, Miss Harriet Merrill and F. B. Merrill spent Sunday at Phillips with Lester Bean and family.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. L. Lord of South Paris were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gibson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Marion Bean, Eva Ladd and Elvira Wheeler were home from Farmington Normal School over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark and children of Arlington, Mass., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark.

Mrs. Norman Sanborn and Mrs. Fred Hamlin were the guests of Mrs. Cecile Hamlin at East Bethel Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett, Mrs. Norman Sanborn, Mrs. Philip Chapman, Mrs. Lemmon Wheeler, Mrs. Albion Morgan, Mrs. Ralph Berry and Mrs. Bert Bean attended the annual convention of District No. 10 of Bethel Sisters at Andover Thursday.

An oyster supper will be served to the Robekahs and their families on the evening of the regular ladies meeting Monday, Oct. 21, at 6 P. M. The price for members will be fifteen cents and for non members twenty five cents. It is hoped the officers will make a special effort to be present at the meeting as the officers' march will be rehearsed.

Gould Academy Notes

Interclass Baseball

By virtue of a 10-6 victory over the juniors, the seniors are now leading the list in the Gould Academy Interclass Baseball Series. The seniors maintained a 6-1 lead until the fifth inning when heavy hitting and a number of errors helped the upperclassmen to assume the lead. The batteries were as follows: for the seniors—A. Chesbro and Dickcy; for the juniors—Hinkley and Chesbro.

Monday evening the sophomores nosed out the freshmen by the score of 5-4. Roberts pitched nice ball for the winners. M. Hamlin did the receiving. For the freshmen R. Bartlett performed on the mound while McNally worked behind the plate. To date the teams line up as follows:

	Won	Lost
Seniors	3	1
Juniors	2	2
Freshmen	2	2
Sophomores	1	3

Mr. Brasier, Mr. Fossett, Alan Chesbro and Robert Lakin motored through the White Mts. during the week end. Principal F. E. Hanson has started a class in Parliamentary Law; a part of the morning exercises one day each week is devoted to practice and theory in this subject.

Ernest Hancock of the class of '29 was a recent visitor at the Academy. Miss Litchfield spent the week-end at Lincoln Academy as a guest of Miss Annabel Snow. Gould '21, Miss Snow is a teacher there.

The first declamations of the year were presented by the seniors Friday afternoon. Representatives from each class will be chosen at the end of the fall term to participate in the public speaking exercises to be held during the winter term.

The Girl Reserve meeting Thursday afternoon was especially interesting. The service was conducted by Ruby Knapp and Frances Bean. A piano solo by Lucia Van and a vocal solo by Hazel Grover added much to the program. The girls who went to Camp Maqua this summer, Gertrude French, Kathryn and Barbara Herlick, gave excellent reports of their two weeks experience. The annual invitation and recognition service will be held Tuesday, October 22nd.

The schedule was so arranged last week as to give teachers and students the opportunity to attend the "banquet" meetings at Odeon Hall.

Several girls from the Students Home, accompanied by Miss Cottrell, climbed Mt. Speck on Saturday and found it a most enjoyable experience. Those who went were Martha Kinney, Betty Delano, Hazel Mosher, Geraldine Gundy, Katherine Keuhn, Katherine Carter, Ann Fernald, and Lucille Hawdon.

GAMES—PILLSBURY

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. True Eames Saturday evening, October 12, when their eldest son Garard was united in marriage with Miss Stella Pillsbury of Rangely. Rev. W. C. Curtis of Auburn performed the ceremony using the double ring service.

Mr. Eames is a well known Bethel boy, having been graduated from Gould Academy in the class of 1926, and he attended Bates College one year. He was employed at Bethel Inn for some time but the past season has been employed at York's Camps, Leon Lake, where he met his bride.

Mrs. Eames is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pillsbury and is a graduate of Rangely High School, class of 1926. She has had employment each season at York's Camps.

The ceremony took place at seven o'clock in the prettily decorated livingroom beneath an arch of evergreen and autumn leaves.

Only the immediate families of the bride and groom and a few invited friends were present.

Following the ceremony, a delicious lunch of ice cream and cake was served followed by a social hour.

Bethel friends extend hearty congratulations to the young couple who started Tuesday morning for Northampton, Mass., where they will attend Northampton Commercial College. Mr. Eames will take a course in mechanical engineering and Mrs. Eames a course in domestic science.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robinson have returned from Snow Falls, N. H., where they have had employment during the summer.

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SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

Justice Presiding—Hon. Warren O. Philbrook.

Clerk—Donald B. Partridge.

Reporter—A. H. Whitman.

County Attorney—William J. Flanagan.

Sheriff—Harry O. Stimson.

Deputies—Benjamin R. Billings, Arthur R. Millett, Frank A. Hunt, Alton E. Grover.

Crier—Charles Huff.

Librarian—Harry M. Shaw.

Messenger—Amy Webster.

Turnkey—James H. Perry.

The October term of Oxford County Supreme Judicial Court opened at So. Paris on Tuesday of last week, with Hon. Warren C. Philbrook, justice presiding.

The grand jury, to serve for one year, was organized as follows:

Grand Jury

Mrs. Linthel C. Reed, Roxbury, Foreman.

Gertrude Allen, Woodstock.

Arthur Brown, Dixfield.

Wilson L. Brown, Mexico.

Fred Cushman, Paris.

John O. Eastman, Stow.

Albert C. Greenwood, Oxford.

J. A. Hibbs, Hebron.

Relle Jackson, Rumford.

Clifton Kilgore, Waterford.

J. C. Littlefield, Greenwood.

 Fred Luce, Peru. || W. Maford Mann, Norway. | |
Fred Mason, Porter.	
E. H. Smith, Bethel.	
Harry E. Walker, Brownfield.	
Susan E. Wight, Newry.	

Judge Philbrook considers that jurors are drafted for public service, and no excuses should be granted except for very good reason. Three of the jurors asked to be excused but their requests were denied. Two panels were organized as follows:

First Jury

Washington Head, Buckfield, Foreman.

Benjamin Cram, Mexico.

Corra Crockett, Greenwood.

Charles F. Cummings, Norway.

Elmer Eastman, Stow.

Lester Hathaway, Woodstock.

Alexander B. Knapp, Peru.

I. B. Leighton, Gilead.

G. Dana Merrill, Bethel.

D. C. Richards, Mexico.

Charles Roberts, Porter.

Adelaide Young, Norway.

Second Jury

E. A. Wakeley, Rumford, Foreman.

Carl Hamlin, Waterford.

James Hayford, Hanover.

Fred W. Hill, Hiram.

Otto Holden, Oxford.

ON THE GILEAD ROAD

The West Bethel-Gilead road has been the scene of numerous automobile misadventures lately. Sunday night a Hudson coach left the road above the Roberts place, broke off a telephone pole and pulled up the five foot stump and did further damage to the trees thereabouts as well as rendering itself practically worthless. It is said that the driver fell asleep.

Monday forenoon a Cadillac car attempted to pass a Buick in a place where some gravel had been turned in by a road machine. When nearly past the car they came together and both cars left the road. The Cadillac was towed to New Hampshire for repairs, and the Buick was able to proceed after being placed on the road again.

A Hodgeon express truck left the road near the Roberts place early last Saturday morning when the driver fell asleep. No damage was done but assistance was called from Gilead to help get the truck back into the road as the rear wheels had lodged in a ditch.

EXCELLENT SPEAKER SECURED FOR FARM BUREAU ANNUAL MEETING

The Oxford County Farm Bureau is especially fortunate this year in having secured Cecil F. Fielder, Secretary of the Maine Christian Association as a speaker for their annual meeting to be held at South Paris October 24. Mr. Fielder is known everywhere as an extremely interesting speaker, having done considerable traveling abroad and also having been to India where he has had many exciting experiences as a missionary. He will tell some of these experiences in his address at the annual meeting.

Many pictures are to be shown in the session and will be followed directly by Mr. Fielder's talk at 11 A. M. Last year there were 200 farmers and housewives who attended the annual meeting held at Norway. This year the Association Hall in South Paris will be used and an attendance of well over 500 is expected.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Regular meeting of Bear River Grange, No. 225 was held Saturday evening October 12 at 8 o'clock. W. M. French in chair. Officers absent at call were Chairman and assistant steward. These places were filled by N. B. Holt and Elmer Vast. Reading of minutes of last meeting was omitted. An application was received, accepted and referred to committee.

At the close of regular business a social hour was held. The following were present: Roy Bennett, Newry; Dwight Chasmar, Hebron; Willie Fox, Brownfield; Fred I. Douglass, Bethel; A. C. Hadley, Sebec.

Thirty four were admitted to citizenship on Wednesday, and a great deal of cases were continued to the next term. The names of those admitted, with their birth date and native country, followed:

William Gregor, Rumford, Scotland; Leona MacGill, W. Paris, Canada; Antonette Pallasda, Rumford, Italy.

Joseph A. Labonte, Rumford, Canada; Wm. J. Pomeroy, Rumford, Canada; Ralph Deshaile, Rumford, Italy; Zigmantas Sabalianskas, Rumford, Lithuania.

Grace Evelyn Burns Kinney, Mexico; Domingue Bourque, Rumford, Canada; Giuseppe Ponia, Rumford, Canada; Dorcas T. Shand, Rumford, Canada; Ellen Jane Norman, Rumford, Canada; Equatone Baptiste, Rumford, Canada; Hugh F. MacDonald, Rumford, Canada; Mary T. MacDonald, Rumford, Canada; Wm. B. MacDonald, Rumford, Canada; Harvey I. Allen, Rumford, Canada; Thomas H. Young, Rumford, Canada; Antonio Padra, Rumford, Canada; Jonathan Holm, Rumford, Canada; Robert J. Berge, Rumford, Canada; Louise Lorne, Rumford, Canada; Leonard J. H. Fortier, Mexico; Joseph A. Smet, Rumford, Poland; Rose B. Fitzmaurice, Rumford, Canada; John H. MacFarlane, Rumford, Canada; Frederic Taggart, Rumford, Canada; Roy E. Stafford, Mexico; Lillian Pearl MacKinnon, Mexico; Magdalen, M. MacDonald, Rumford, Canada; Alice J. MacDonald, Rumford, Canada; Marie M. Jacques, Rumford, Canada; Mary A. Curtis, Mexico; Carlisle Kenneth Seymour, Rumford, Canada; Wm. J. MacDonald, Mexico; Canada.

The grand jury reported its findings Friday forenoon. The following delinquents were made public: Harold M. Horse of Dixfield, a slayer.

Peter Fild, of Rumford, a slayer; George Brooks of Bethel, a slayer; Albert Walker of Presburg, a slayer; Albert Walker and Raymond W. of Presburg, a slayer; and Nelsa Pakari of Rumford, a slayer.

John Littlefield of Woodstock, a slayer; John Wakant of Rumford, a slayer; William Ladd of Mexico, a slayer; Nelsa of Carthage, a slayer; and Nelsa of Carthage, a slayer.

John Carson alias John Carson, a slayer; and Paul Berthel alias Paul Barker, a slayer.

School Notes

Bethel Primary School, Grade III

The following received an average of 100% in Arithmetic for week ending October 11:

Richard Andrews, Dana Brooks, Helen Lowe, Ethelyn McMillin and Maynard Austin.

Those who received an average of 100% in Spelling:

Faith Brown, Mary Clough, Richard Crockett, Parker Brown, Rodney Barnes, Arlene Greenleaf, Barbara Hall, Bradley Hall, Helen Lowe, Mary Robertson, Virginia Smith, Murray Thurston, Rodney Wentzel, Barbara Lyon, Madlyn Hall.

East Bethel Grammar Grades

Those receiving an average of 90% or above in Arithmetic for the week beginning October 7th:

Rose Billings, Ellen Burns, Eugene Burns, Doris Farrar, Freda Harrington, Grace Foster, Mildred Farrar and Daisy LeBaron.

Those receiving an average of 90% or above in Spelling for the week beginning October 7th:

Ellen Burns, Freda Harrington, Doris Farrar, Eugene Burns, Nellie Harrington, Willard Farwell, Edward Holt and Nannette Foster.

East Bethel Primary Room

Those receiving an average rank of 90% or above in Arithmetic are:

Eva Merrill, Donald Holt, Harold Merrill, Robert Billings and Donald Kimball.

Those receiving an average rank of 90% or above in Spelling are:

Mary Farwell, Eva Merrill, Donald Holt, Robert Billings and Harold Merrill.

MASON SCHOOL NOTES

There will be a Halloween entertainment at the Mason School Saturday evening, October 19th. Everyone is invited, and each table is asked to bring a table cloth.

Those who got 100% in spelling for the week ending Oct. 12th were:

Walter Upshur, Raula Rober, Frank M. Merrill, Maizie Clough, Nannette LeBaron, Yvonne Groves, Lillian LeBaron, Ralph Merrill, Howard Groves, and Ethel Rober.

BETHEL SAVINGS BANK TO DECLARE EXTRA DIVIDEND

The Bethel Savings Bank has announced that the directors feel that the bank is in a position to declare an extra dividend of 10% on the savings accounts of the bank.

The directors of the bank are: W. M. French, Chairman; N. B. Holt, Vice Chairman; and Elmer Vast, Secretary. The dividend will be paid on October 24th.

The bank has a total of \$10,000 in savings accounts, and the dividend will be \$1,000. The bank is located at 100 Main Street, Bethel, Maine.

The bank was organized in 1910 and has a long record of successful operation. It is a member of the National Savings Bank Association.

NEWRY CORNER

William and Samuel, who are the owners of the Newry Corner, have decided to sell the corner to the Newry School.

The corner is located at the intersection of Main Street and Newry Road. It is a very desirable location for a school building.

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BRYANT POND

The Harvest Supper given by the Ladies Aid last Friday night was well patronized. About one hundred dollars was realized from the supper and the sale of vegetables, aprons and candy.

Mrs. Lura Trumbull and son Lyndell and Mrs. Myra Cole came from Worcester, Mass. Friday night returning Sunday afternoon. They were the guests of Mrs. Flora Cole while here.

Mrs. Lena Felt of Auburn, formerly of Bryant Pond is having five weeks vacation. She is taking a trip to Los Angeles, California. She went by the way of Montreal and Vancouver and will return by way of El Paso, New Orleans and Washington.

Mrs. Fred Cole was the guest a few days last week of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman of Auburn. Fred Cole and Mrs. Florence Cushman went down Sunday and came home with her.

Mrs. Leslie Abbott was the guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman one day last week.

Capt. Charles Adams who is staying with his daughter, Mrs. Robert Johnson, fell down the cellar stairs one day last week. No bones were broken, but he received a bad shaking up. He is recovering nicely from the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Judkins have returned from Farmacheene where they have had employment the past summer.

Bertha T. Her is at home.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Eganter Whitman and son Robert spent the week in Norway.

Mrs. Philip Rolf, who has been in Ap-leton for the past few weeks returned home Sunday. Her mother, Mrs. Conant came with her for the winter.

Mrs. Frances Whitman is spending the week with Mrs. Eganter Whitman. Robert Kneland spent a week and a half with his family.

Mrs. Bess Brown of South Paris was the guest of Mrs. Clarence Bennett Wednesday.

Mrs. Dorothy Glover and Harold Sawyer left Tuesday for Augusta where they will take the State examination for teachers.

Mrs. D. H. Foster and friend were the guests of E. J. Sprague and Mrs. Alice Sprague.

Mrs. Fred and Clarence Briggs of Newry are boarding with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sprague in the woods at Gilead.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill and son Fred left for Augusta Wednesday.

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ALBANY PEOPLE ON TRIP TO AROOSTOOK COUNTY

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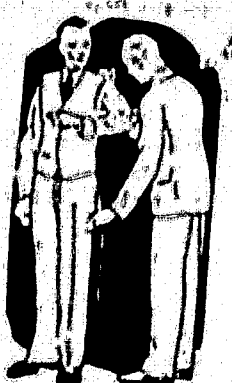
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- 2 blasts, repeated at one minute intervals, Mill Hill.
- 3 blasts, repeated at two minute intervals, Church, Park, Upper High, Upper Summer, Elm Streets.
- 4 blasts, repeated at two minute intervals, Main to Bryant's Store, Spring, Brighton, Chapman Streets.
- 5 blasts, repeated at two minute intervals, Lower Main, Mechanic, Clark, Lower High, Lower Summer, Vernon Streets.
- 6 blasts, repeated at two minute intervals, Mills, Mill Yards and Railroad Street.

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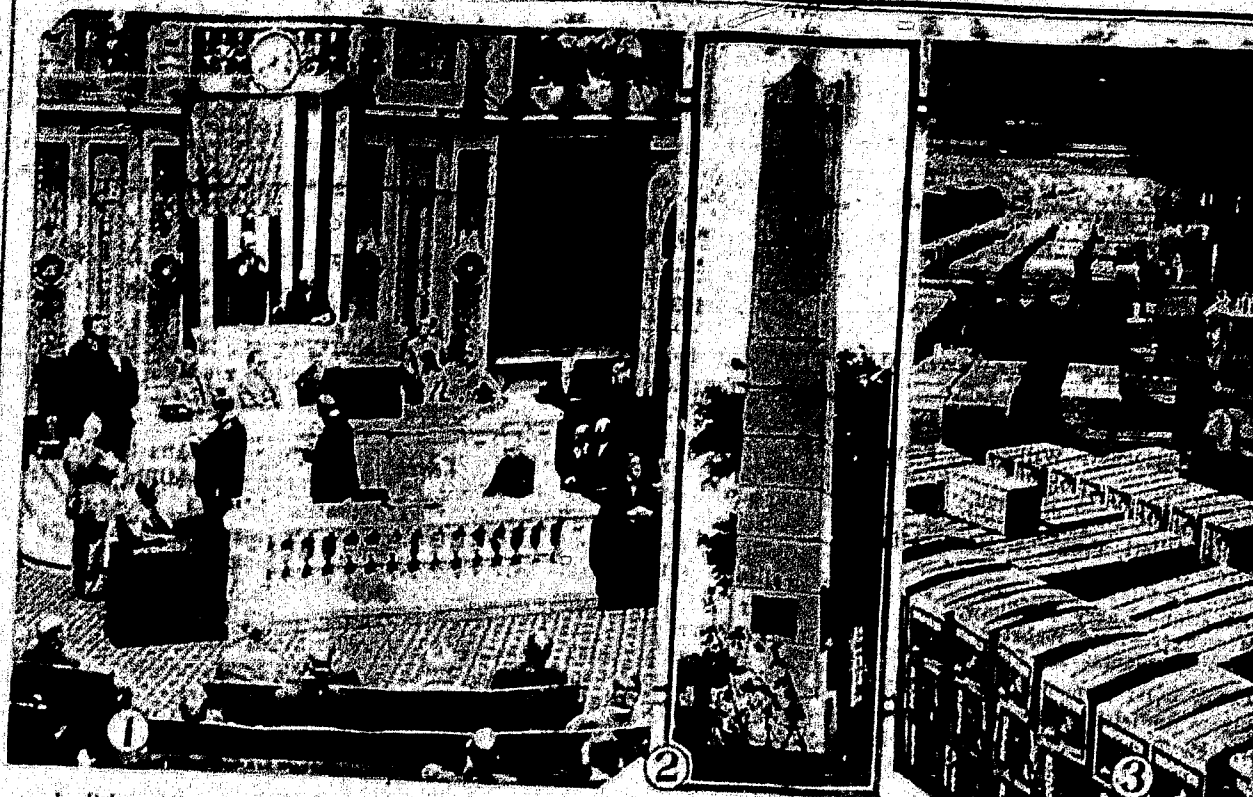
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THINGS WITHOUT JOKING, OR
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CARICATURE, BUT I JUST CAN'T
IMAGINE THE THING
WITHOUT THE NEWSPAPER.



1—Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain addressing the American House of Representatives. 2—Monument to the Ohio river, erected in Eden park, Cincinnati, to be dedicated by President Hoover on his visit to the Midwest. 3—New York docks jammed with rotting fruit and vegetables during the strike of the teamsters and chauffeurs union which shut off the city's supply of fresh food.

NEWS REVIEW OF
CURRENT EVENTSMacDonald Visit Ends and
Naval Conference Is
Called by England.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

FIRST fruit of the momentous conversations between President Hoover and Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald in the Virginia fishing camp and the White House was the invitation issued by Great Britain to the United States, France, Italy and Japan to participate in a naval conference in London next January. The proposal of the British government is in effect to postpone, revise and extend the naval limitation agreements reached at the Washington conference of 1921-22, with a view to gradual disarmament in accord with the spirit of the Kellogg pact in which all countries have renounced war as an instrument of national policy.

In order to give assurance that there will be no differences between Great Britain and the United States over cruiser tonnage to wreck this conference, as occurred at the Geneva conference of 1927, the London government informs Japan, France and Italy that the two Anglo-Japanese naval limitations have virtually reached an agreement based on parity of the two navies in all classes of ships.

There is no doubt that the invitations will be accepted, though there will be some opposition to holding the conference in London. America's acceptance was announced Thursday, France, it was believed, would make three reservations, asking that the work of the conference be dissociated with the Kellogg pact; that the proposals for abolishment of the submarine be dropped by England and America before the meeting opens; and that France have the right to call for a new ratio of cruisers, destroyers and submarines. It was understood that Italy would adopt practically the same attitude as France and Japan was expected to accept the invitation without reservations. Each British dominion also was invited to send representatives to the conference.

When Mr. MacDonald's Washington visit officially came to an end he and Mr. Hoover issued a joint statement to the effect that in their conversations they had reached an understanding that the United States and Great Britain would co-operate to preserve the peace of the world, and that settlement of all disagreements between the two countries in the future should be sought on the assumption that was between them is unshakable. Sincere acceptance of the Paris peace pact is reaffirmed, and confidence expressed in the success of the naval conference. The significant paragraph of the statement reads:

"The part of each of our governments in the promotion of world peace will be different, as one will never attempt to become entangled in European diplomacy and the other is re-orienting its policy of active co-operation with its European neighbors, but each of our governments will direct its thoughts and influence towards security and maintaining the peace of the world."

This is designed to quiet the apprehension felt especially by the French, that the MacDonald visit would result in an actual alliance between America and Great Britain intended to force upon the rest of the world their interpretation of disarmament and peace. At every opportunity Mr. Hoover and Mr. MacDonald exchanged any such attention, and to the remarkable address before the Senate the prime minister specifically said: "We are not out for any exclusive alliance. You would reject it. So would I. It is not for the benefit of either of us."

The President and the prime minister discussed in a general way other topics besides the naval conference. These included the Anglo-American trade war, freedom of the seas and the British naval bases on the American Atlantic coast. It was agreed that the naval matter should be the subject of further consideration after Mr. MacDonald has returned to London.

So socially as well as politically, Mr. MacDonald's visit was a great success. He and his daughter Isabel were lavishly entertained, there were state dinners at the White House, the British embassy, and at the home of Secretary Stimson, and the prime minister was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws by the George Washington university. After the formal farewells in the Capital the British party left for Philadelphia and New York, secure in the belief that Mr. MacDonald's unprecedented adventure had accomplished extraordinary things for the two nations and for the world at large.

IRWIN D. LAUGHLIN of Pittsburgh, one of the "career" diplomats, has been appointed by the President as ambassador to Spain to succeed Ogden H. Hammond, resigned. Mr. Laughlin's last assignment was as minister to Greece, where he served from 1924 to 1926. Prior to his appointment Mr. Laughlin had been stationed in various diplomatic capacities at many of the principal capitals of the world. He began his career as private secretary to the minister to Japan.

ONCE again the Democratic senators and those radicals who persist in calling themselves Republicans scored on the administration senators in the tariff battle. This time by a vote of 44 to 41 the senate rejected finance committee amendments broadening the rights of manufacturers and wholesalers to intervene in customs disputes before the treasury and the courts. Later the senate rejected an amendment offered by King of Utah which would have granted independence to the Philippines, and debated another proposal to levy tariffs on imports from the Philippines and return the revenue thus derived to the islands until independence is granted. These proposals really were made for the benefit of the American beet sugar growers and domestic producers of vegetable oils.

The strength of the Democratic-radical combine led to forecasts that there would be a deadlock over the tariff bill in conference and that the measure would fall of enactment in the special session. There were those who said this result would not be entirely displeasing to the President and that the administration would not fix the revival of the bill in the regular session of congress.

ALBERT D. FALL, former secretary of the interior, appeared in Washington for his trial on bribery charges connected with the oil scandal, and refused to ask a continuance on account of his exceedingly poor health. But before the taking of testimony began he collapsed and a recess was ordered. The court designated Dr. Sterling Hoffman to examine him, but Fall refused to receive the specialist, explaining his action was on purely personal grounds and that Dr. Hoffman was the only physician in the country whom he would not want to examine him.

THREE more trains were authorized by the federal farm board. The Florida citrus exchange is to get a further loan of \$250,000, and the Tennessee cotton growers' association and the South Carolina cotton growers' co-operative association receive supplemental loans of \$250,000 and \$400,000 respectively. The aid loan in the Florida citrus exchange will be secured by first mortgage on packing plants of local units.

REVENUES from India may that label, the capital of Afghanistan has been captured by the forces of Nadir Khan and that Habibullah Khan, otherwise Bacha Saka, had fled by airplane. Evidently the story of the alleged king's assassination two weeks ago was at least premature. The troops of Nadir's brother are said to have scattered Habibullah's army and to have entered the capital, the Afghans taking refuge in the hills.

SIXTH MONTH SHEPPARD of Texas has put forward a proposal to spread the Volstead act so as to make the purchase of liquor a crime as well as the sale of it. But the idea is meeting with strenuous objection and is far from the vote but also from the dry leaders. Some thought

it would nullify the whole scheme of prohibition, and others, like Senator Norris, chairman of the judiciary committee, held that it might completely break down prohibition enforcement. Mr. Norris said the plan, if adopted, would prevent 95 per cent of the prosecutions in prohibition cases, for in fact that number the testimony of buyers must be relied on for convictions. Senator Hawes of Missouri, a wet, said: "The matter of 'purchase' purposely was omitted from the Eighteenth amendment, and it is to be brought up now the proper method would be by the submission of another constitutional amendment."

PREPARATIONS were completed for the investigation of lobbies operating in Washington by the senate. The subcommittee of the judiciary committee, which is to conduct the hearings, was named, as follows: Caraway of Arkansas, chairman; Borah of Idaho, Robinson of Arkansas, Blaine of Wisconsin and Walsh of Montana. Thus the inquiry is dominated by radicals, drys and pacifists and it is expected to go especially hard for the eastern high tariff interests, the big navy and other preparedness organizations and the wet associations. The tariff lobby was scheduled for first attention. Probably the hearings will last through the winter.

A MEXICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR delegates opened their annual convention in Toronto with President William Green in the chair. The most interesting event of the week was the start of an attempt to bring the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen back into the federation. Albert Whitney, chief of the brotherhood, was loudly cheered when he told the convention he saw no reason for the brotherhood to remain separated from the rest of the labor movement and that he intended to ask the lodges of the order immediately to vote on a proposal to affiliate.

For four days New York's supply of fresh fruits and vegetables was seriously curtailed by a strike of the teamsters' and chauffeurs' union, and freight yards and piers were jammed with rotting produce worth millions of dollars. The strike was called off when the Market Truckmen's association agreed to accept one of two propositions made by the union. The men were to get either more wages or shorter hours.

The workers' week has gone into effect in Soviet Russia and is said to be creating disastrous confusion in industry.

DIEUDONNE COSTE and Maurice Bellonte, French aviators who started eastward from Paris for an endurance flight and were thought to have been lost in the wilds of Siberia, turned up in Manchuria near the Mongolian border, 4,816 miles from their starting point, breaking the world's straight line distance record. It took them about a week of foot travel to reach a place where they could get in communication with the outside world.

Colonel Lindbergh, with Mrs. Lindbergh and two archeologists, spent several days flying over the jungles of Yucatan, Guatemala and British Honduras. Their purpose was to explore unknown regions in the search for ancient Maya cities, and they were successful in discovering several extensive ruins not heretofore known. The Lindberghs then flew from Belize to Miami, Fla.

FEDERAL inquiry into liquor and vice conditions in northern Indiana has resulted in hundreds of indictments and arrests. Among the accused are the mayor of East Chicago and many police officers of towns in the northwest corner of the state. The charges include violations of the liquor, white slave, narcotic and auto theft laws.

COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT arrived in San Juan, Porto Rico, and was immediately inaugurated governor of the island. The ceremonies took place in the new capital building, and the governor was then escorted by a parade to La Fortaleza, the ancient building that will be his official residence.

NORTH WATERFORD

Charles Marston is staying with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hazelton while his wife is at Fryburg visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Hatch and family. Edith Dargis, Mabel Stanley, Billa Marston and Annie B. Hazelton spent Tuesday at Lewiston.

Quite an accident occurred at Proctor's bridge Tuesday when a Studebaker car driven by a woman went over the embankment turning turtle and landing in the river. Cars soon gathered and she was helped out with her face cut and bleeding profusely and one eye was closed up.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews from Norway were callers at Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Marston's Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hazelton had a nice day Sunday at his farm in Albany picking apples.

Merle Morse and family from Lovell, have moved into the house of the late Catherine Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chapman and daughter Grace have moved to West Bethel where he is to run a blacksmith shop. Their many friends wish them luck.

Mrs. E. E. Twitchell and also Flora Cummings took supper at E. T. Jenkins Tuesday.

At Twitchell has built a garage. Chestina Twitchell the past week Will Twitchell has just bought Ford roadster.

Mrs. E. E. Twitchell and Clavin went down to Mechanic Falls ground Tuesday and put their in readiness for winter. Carroll Cummings and wife went to visit his mother, Flora Cummings Thursday afternoon.

Laurence Brown cleaned out Twitchell's well last Saturday.

Melvin Clark and wife and Mrs. motored to Lewiston last Tuesday.

Sunday October 13, the McKays, Daveses, and Ames gave Flora Cummings a ride to Portland, returning the way of Windham and Bethel.

At the McKeen home a hot steak dinner was served in the evening then the friends took her home.

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